

AVOID MOSQUITOES

PROTECT YOURSELF AND YOUR FAMILY



Wear long, loose and light-colored clothing.



If possible, stay indoors when mosquitoes are biting.



Use insect repellent products with no more than 20-30 percent DEET for adults and less than 10 percent for children. Adults should apply repellent on children.



Spray repellent on your hands and then apply to your face.



Only apply repellent to exposed skin and clothing. Do not use repellent under clothing.



Do not apply repellent over cuts, wounds, sunburn, or irritated skin.



Wash repellent off daily and reapply as needed.

CONTROL MOSQUITOES FROM BREEDING



Turn over or remove containers in your yard where rainwater collects, such as old tires, potted plant trays, boats, buckets and toys.



Clean out birdbaths and wading pools once a week.



Clean roof gutters and downspout screens regularly.



Eliminate standing water on tarps and flat roofs.



Do not leave garbage can lids upside down or allow water to collect in your garbage can.

**Mosquitoes may carry potentially dangerous viruses,
such as West Nile virus.**